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The Honorable Stephen R. Clark  
Courtroom 14 North  
Thomas F. Eagleton U.S. Courthouse  
111 South 10<sup>th</sup> Street  
St. Louis MO 63102

Dear Judge Clark,

I am sending this letter in support of Jeffrey Boyd, a defendant in your courtroom. I respect Jeffrey; in my experience with him I have known him to be a person of excellent character. I want to support him in the aftermath of his admitting he made bad decisions and broke federal law. I believe that Jeffrey has already learned from this serious error and will continue to use this experience to improve his life and that of his family.

As executive director of the Regional Consortium for Education and Technology (RCET), I hired Jeffrey Boyd in 1992 to work in a marketing position. He was fresh out of the military. In his position at RCET he worked with technology coordinators and business managers at the St. Louis regional school districts. He was an outstanding representative for our organization.

I found Jeffrey to always be honest and straightforward in his dealings with school personnel, his fellow staff members and me. Not only was he an excellent employee, but his engaging personality and straightforward approach in his relationships enhanced RECT's good reputation.

After Jeffrey left RCET I kept in touch with him, following his family and his career in politics. While I am horrified and disappointed that he broke federal law I believe that the Jeffrey Boyd I know will turn the experience he is having in the federal criminal justice system into improving life for him and his family and the larger community he served for more than 20 years as alderman.

Regards,

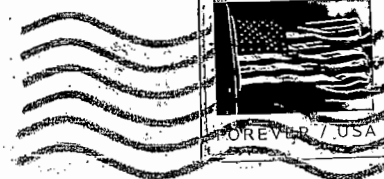


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